### ITEMS OF INTEREST. FROM MANY STATES

Important News Gathered from Abroad for the Benefit of Our Renders.

Mrs. J. Clayton Erb, who with plies are being gathered in stand at Media, Pa.

is dead at Washington. He was a number of dead and years had been employed in the it almost impossible. pension bureau.

of diseases.

guilty of defrauding Mrs. James E. Patton, wife of a prominent Chicago Board of Trade operator. was tried with Warfield, was found nate victims of the earthquakenot guillty.

Santic railroad.

seceipt of a holiday gift to the college of about \$300,000. The donar wishes for the present to remain unknown.

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The fight against the Alabama pro-Afbition law was opened in a petiton filed by lawyers of Montgomery, in the United StatesCourt. The pewho allege that the law will mean . loss to them of \$125,000 a year in business.

ha, Ala, Commercial Club extended an invitation to President elect the date at present.

posse has gone to Stearns with to illustrate the lecture by warrants for the arrest of Berry Feram-Simpson and his lieutenants. Mayes has the reputation of being one of

devasted by the earthquake has as-

her sister is accused of murdering parts of the world to rush to Messina her husband, told a remarkable sto- Reggio, but relief will come too late ry of ill treatment on the witness to save many. The horror of the situation is added the certainty that pestillence will follow. Little Dr. W. Lee White, aged 88 years, effort is being made to estimate the pative of Kentucky and for many and to get a list of the survivors

The State Department at Wash-Father John, of Cronstadt, the lagton is considering ordering the most powerful priest in Russia, died Atlantic fleet, which is expected to in St. Petersburg from a compilcation reach Port Sald Sunday, to Messina to take part in the work of the rest received a special message from one. The fleet can probably reach Samuel T. Warfield was found that port by January 15. The Celtic of the secret servic in addition to which was to have been the fleet's the message asking for financial sid Christmas ship, will sail for Messina for the earthquake sufferers and the food clothing and supplies Italy. out of \$22,700 by means of a rare intended for the officers and men book swindle. W. N. Cooper, who will go to the relief of the unfortu-

Congressman Theodore E. Burton, James Don Pardee, of the Un- of Cleveland, was decided upon Fri-Red States Circuit Court at Atlanta, day as the next United States Senappointed President H. M. Atkinson ator from Ohio Charles P. Taft and P. S. Arkwright receivers for withdrew from the race during the the Atlanta, Birmingham and At- forenoon and Serator Joseph B-Foraker issued a statement later quitting the contest. All the minor President William Dewitt Hyde, candidates have withdrawn and the of Bowdoin College announces the naming of Mr Burton in a party caucus will be but a formality.

An outbreak of feud trouble is fear ed at Jackson, and Gov. Willson was asked to send troops to stop the The forthcoming treasury state- trouble and pretect the town. Large ment of the Government receipts and numbers of the Callihan and Smith expenditures will show a deficit for factions were in town and heavily the first six months of the current armed. No order for troops has fiscal year of approximately \$64, been issued, but County Judge Taulbee will continue to urge that they

Senator Hael, acting chairman of the Senate Committee on Appropriations which has in charge the titioners are the Cook Brewing Co., investigation the secret service, said there was no intention, so far as he knew, of summoning President Roosevellt before the committee after his retirement on March 4, as committee from the Birming- was intimated in some published re- without result. The American, Enports.

Taft in Augusta to visit Birmingham. A national mass-meeting will be Judge Taft unreservedly promised held January 7 at New York to exthat he would visit Birmingham, but press the sympathy of America for Itsaid it would be impossible to fix ally in her present distress. President-elect Taft has been asked to preside. Italian opera stare Deputy United States Marshal will sing and moving pictures of county, with a the stricken district will be used

An edict was issued in Pekin disthe most fearless men in the Ken- missing from office Yuan Shi Kai, tucky mountains and it is predicted grand councillor and commander-inthat should Simpson and his crowd ch'ef of the Chinese forces. This vesist arrest, more bloodshed will action has caused consternation among the representatives of the powers at Pekin and it is thought prob-The problem of saving the living able that it will result in a poin the districts of Itally and Sicily. litical upheavel in China and, probbly in revolutionary outbreaks. sumed such proportions as to put all Yuan Shi Kai was regarded as one other subjects in the background. of the foremost statesmen of that Thousands who escaped death when country. Immediately after the anthe buildings were shaken to pieces nouncement of the diplomatic repreare wandering amid the ruins, prac-sentatives of the various powers betically without food or clothing. Sup- gan a series of conferences in Pe-

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ction will be taken when line of solley is agreed upon. Na Tung. controller of customs and former Governor of Pekin has been ap pointed grand councillor. He is said to be a man far inferior to Yuan Shi Kai in point of ability.

The Senate will continue its conderation of the postal savings bill until Wednesday when that meas ure will probably give way temporarily to the omnibus claims bill.

The Indiana Legislature will ronvene Thursday. It will elect a Demccrat to the United States Senate to succeed Senator James A. Hemenway, Pepublican.

A great Methodist revival has begun in Louisville. Great preparations have been made and many conversions are expected.

Congress reconvened Monday follow ing the Christmas holidays, and the President respecting the use

The Missouri Legislature will convene Wednesday. The session promises to be a warm one as it will elect a United StatesSenator and a Lieutenant Governor. The contest over these two offices promises some rolitical entanglements.

A posse of United States Marshals and State Militia failed to locate Berry Simpson and his crowd of reffugees after a two days' search i: the Whitley county mountains It is reported that Simpson and his fellowers have made their escape.

Four prominent young men Louisville-Howard Bellows, Norvin Green, Fred S. Breyfogle and J. E. Kepp, and Miss May Boswell, member of Lexington's social set, had a narrow escape from death recently when the automobile in which they were riding plunged over a Kentucky-river cliff at Clay's Ferry. No fatal injuries were received by ary of the five-

Repreentatives of the Powers at Pekin are much perturbed over the downfall of Yuan Shi Kai and several meetings have been held agree upon a course of action but glish and German ministers are agreed that the action can only be construed as an affront to the Pow-

The worst probably has been told of the earthquake dead in Italy and public attention will turn this week want these nice articles Desirable lot on Lock Avenue, to the survivors. In the case many their fate is scarcely more to be desired than that which overtook the thousands killed outright Gigantic measures of relief participated in by every civilized country will assume practical form at once, and succor for the destitute promises to be speedy. To Americans peculiar interest will attach to the steps taken by the Government and the National Red Cross supplemented by the efforts of numberless o rganications. The amount of the relief fund in this country already approaches four million dollars and President Roosevelt will call upon Congress for an appropriation of \$500,000. Congress will also probably be asked to authorize the turning over of the cargoes of the supply ships Celtic and Culgoa to the suf-

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